



# Belmont Telephone Company

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May 11, 2010

## VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW  
Washington, DC 20554

RE: CC Docket 02-33 – Notice of Permissive Detariffing of Wireline Broadband  
Internet Access Service by Belmont Telephone Co, Inc. (Study Area 330847)

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to the Commission's *Wireline Broadband Order*, Belmont Telephone Co, Inc. hereby provides notice of its intent to discontinue offering wireline broadband Internet access service on a tariffed basis. Effective July 1, 2010, Belmont Telephone Co, Inc. plans to offer wireline broadband Internet access service on a permissive detariffed, common carriage basis.

Please direct any questions to the undersigned.

Sincerely,

Deb Egli  
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Belmont Telephone Co., Inc.  
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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Deb Egli, GM, do certify that I have, on this 11th day of May, 2010:

1. Served by first class mail a copy of the foregoing Notice of Permissive Detariffing of Wireline Broadband Internet Access Service to the following:

Governor Jim Doyle  
Office of the Governor  
115 East State Capital  
Madison, WI 53702

Secretary of Defense  
Attn: Special Assistant for Telecommunications  
PENTAGON  
Washington, DC 20301

LaGrant Connection, LLC  
P. O. Box 762  
Cuba City, WI 53807

Mt. Horeb Telephone Co., Inc.  
200 E. Main St.  
Mount Horeb, WI 53572

2. Served via Electronic filing a copy of the foregoing Notice of Permissive Detariffing of Wireline Broadband Internet Access Service to the following:

Wisconsin Public Service Commission  
Attn: Telecommunications Division  
610 North Whitney Way  
P. O. Box 7853  
Madison, WI 53707-7854



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LaGrant Connections, LLC  
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RE: Service Notification

Dear Valued Customer:

Our records indicate that LaGrant Connections, LLC is currently purchasing wholesale broadband transport services from Belmont Telephone Co., Inc. ("BTC") under NECA tariff No. 5 ("Tariff"). This letter is to advise you that BTC's study area 330847 will discontinue provisioning service on July 1, 2010 pursuant to the Tariff. Services will be made available to you on a common carrier, non-tariffed basis. The existing relevant rates, terms and conditions will not change until the end of your term or until replaced by a Broadband Commercial Agreement.

The rates, terms and conditions for the Broadband Commercial Agreement will be available in printed copy during normal business hours at BTC's business office located at 121 N Washington St., Cuba City, WI 53807.

The actions described above are taken in accordance with the FCC's Report and Order (FCC 05-150) released September 23, 2005 in Docket No. 02-33. In this order the FCC determined that facilities-based wireline broadband internet service providers could offer their services on a common carrier, permissively detariffed basis.

No action is necessary on your part. However, if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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General Manager



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